

10 MAY 1978

Briefing

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM

:
Acting Legislative Counsel

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SUBJECT

: House International Relations Committee
Request for Briefing 11 May 1978

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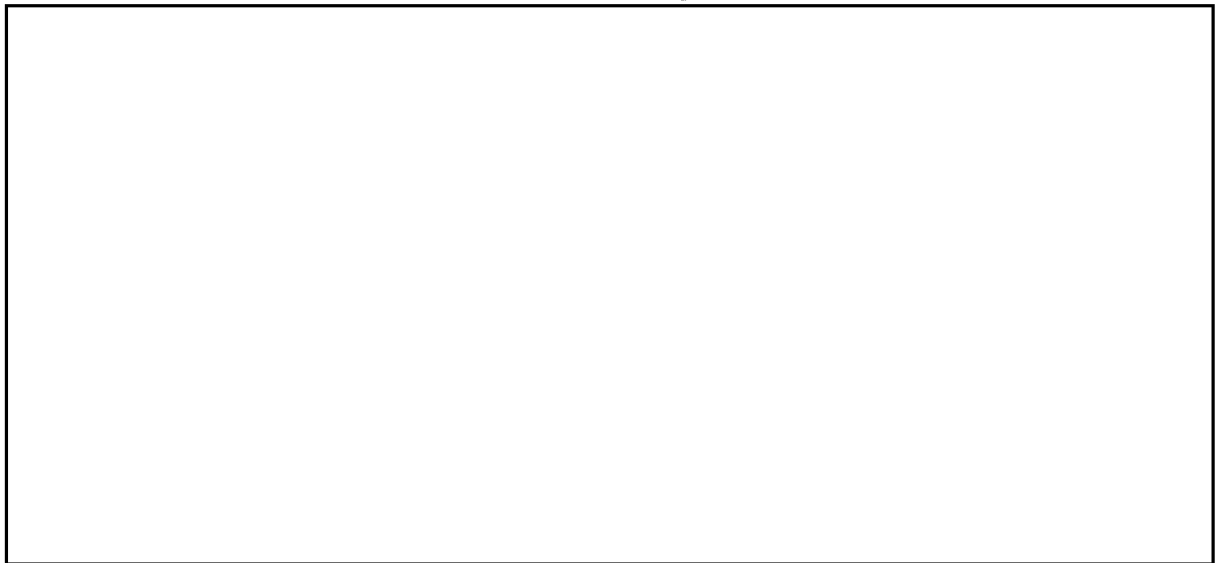
1. ☐ Action Requested: The full House International Relations Committee has requested that you brief them on the Middle East arms balance at 0930 on Thursday, 11 May 1978. I am attaching a witness list for your approval.

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2. ☐ Background:

a. The Subcommittee on Europe & the Middle East was briefed on the general subject by Agency representatives in May 1977. Neither the Subcommittee nor the full Committee has had an update since then. At the end of March 1978 they received the Agency paper on the arms balance in the Mid East. Some of the Committee Members may be aware of its contents.

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c. The Committee will begin hearings on the arms sales next week. The General Accounting Office will brief the Committee prior to your testimony which will take place in Room 2172 Rayburn House Office Building. Our briefing will, of course, be in Executive Session.

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Attachments

Signers of the resolution of disapproval
were the following Democrats:

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The Republican signers were:

Edward J. Derwinski, (R., Ill.)
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